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SPANIARDS are like Indians. A good Indian is a dead Indian.

The only charge of any consequence ever made by the Cuban soldiers has been that upon the commissary department.

We hope the doctors will succeed in stamping out the small-pox now in the state before the political speaker makes his appearance. These two plagues united would soon completely depopulate poor old Kentucky.

Some people are saying the end of the war is near. Don't believe that, dear reader. The Spaniards will quit when every devil of 'em has had his toes turned to the daisies by an American bullet. They have not enough sense to quit.

The Cubans have proven to be utterly worthless as soldiers, and from all indications they are not worth a counterfeit blank for anything. Uncle Sam will finally have to take absolute control of the island and the sooner he does so the better it will be.

If none but negroes are to be hung in Kentucky, it would be a mighty good idea to white-wash one of them before sending him to glory. The sight of a white man dangling at the rope's end would have a decidedly good effect in the grand old Commonwealth.

The obedience of the Spanish soldiers is simply remarkable. If the other qualifications of a soldier were as well lived up to they would have the best army in the world. But doing what they are told seems to be the only redeeming feature. They have no judgment whatever, neither officers or men.

ONE well versed on army matters writes that we ought not to be too severe in criticizing Gen. Shafter by saying he rushed into the San Juan fight in order to win fame. He was doubtless going on orders from Washington and the reports of those who took part in the fight will probably give accounts of it which will throw an entirely different light on the matter.

The report is going the rounds that Hon. George Davison will not be a candidate for re-election and will not allow his name to be put up. Now, if the republicans want to put up a candidate who is a typical gentleman, a man thoroughly equipped, and in whom there is absolutely no guile, why don't they induce Hon. James W. Caperton, of Madison, to become a candidate? Let it be a case of the office seeking the man.

With all the talk of peace, nothing direct or indirect on the subject has been received from Spain. Uncle Sam in the mean time is going straight ahead with preparations to make another sweep of the Don and no time is being lost in parleying. It seems that the American authorities at Washington have at last come to the conclusion that the Spaniards will have to be whipped into submission and no more time will be wasted in beating the devil around the stump.

THE president continues to make officers out of the sons of senators and others who have the necessary pull. These hand-me-down officers are regaled with as much authority and in some cases are placed over regulars. Such action is a disgrace to the country. Most of those appointed are not worth a powder cuss and could not whip a canary bird. But merit is not considered these days. It is money and politicians who control the country and they run things to suit their own sweet selves.

LUCIEN YOUNG and his little "Hist," has been doing some noble work for Uncle Sam. Taking this fact into consideration, his Kentucky friends should make a fight to get him promoted to a good berth on the new battleship Kentucky. If the authorities will not make him the commander, they will doubtless give him a big lift in some way to recognize the brave deeds done in the present war. His friends are legion, and if they will make a united pull they will surely help the gallant Lucien to a much more prominent place.

THE good old town of Richmond is to undergo another local option election. These elections create more excitement and bad feelings among the people of a town than does anything else. The opposing factions have "cleared for action" in the hospitable capital of Madison and the way the fur will fly will be a caution. The temperance people have several thirteen inch guns of the G. W. Young pattern, and will throw shells into the camp of the enemy which will scatter beer bottles and bar room fixtures to the four winds.

The Chief Burgess of Milesburg, Pa., says DeWitt's Little Early River is the best pills he ever used in his family during forty years of house keeping. They cure constipation, sick headache and stomach and liver troubles. Small in size but great in results. Storms Drug Store. 1m

The War.



Admiral Sampson's last bombardment of Santiago destroyed fifty-seven buildings.

When Gen. Shafter entered Santiago he found it had been sacked by the Spaniards.

Nearly 60,000 of the 75,000 volunteers asked for by the president in his second call for troops have been recruited and most of them have been mustered into service.

The terms of surrender give the Spanish guerrillas and irregulars the privilege of remaining in Cuba on parole, instead of being sent to Spain, if they so elect.

Capt. Gen. Blanco has cabled the Spanish government that Santiago was surrendered without his knowledge. Gen. Toral will be tried by Court-Marshal.

The subscriptions to the new 3 percent war loan \$20,000,000, including the offers made by syndicates, amounted to \$1,200,000, or six times the amount of the issue.

There are now fully 600 cases of yellow fever under treatment in the army before Santiago, but the mortality is very light, and Maj. Gen. Miles thinks the worst is over. The type appears to be mild.

Sick headache, biliousness, constipation and all liver and stomach troubles can be quickly cured by using those famous little pills known as DeWitt's Little Early Risers. They are pleasant to take and never gripe. Storms Drug Store. 1m

In Maj. Gen. Shafter's report of the surrender of Santiago he says on entering the city he discovered a perfect entanglement of defenses, and declares that it would have cost 5,000 lives to take the town with the Spaniards fighting as they did July 1.

The harbor of Santiago will be cleared of mines as speedily as possible, and then be utilized as a naval station and harbor of refuge. It is admirably fitted to be a safe resort for American shipping in the hurricane season which is now upon us.

It is expected by the navy department that but few ships of Adm. Sampson's squadron will enter the harbor at Santiago. Enough vessels will be sent in to put the harbor in condition for naval operations and the needs of American interests.

"I have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in my family for years and always with good results," says Mr. W. B. Cooper of El Rio, Cal. "For small children we find it especially effective." For sale by R. E. McRoberts. 1m

Gen. Miles is anxious to remove the troops from Cuba as soon as possible, even if they have to be kept on the transport ships for a time before moving against Porto Rico, and is therefore eagerly awaiting the determination of the further campaign the Washington government.

The government has advertised for sealed proposals for the transportation to Spain of 1,000 Spanish officers and 24,000 enlisted men. The Spanish troops in the city are now said to number only 7,000 men, while the number in the surrendered district is variously given at 22,500 to 24,000.

E. C. Blanks, of Louisville, Texas, writes that one box of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve was worth \$50.00 to him. It cured his piles of ten years standing. He advises others to try it. It also cures eczema, skin diseases and obstinate sores. Storms Drug Store. 1m

The Cubans are not pleased with the situation at Santiago. They think Gen. Garcia should be made Governor General of the surrendered territory, and threaten trouble if ignored. The residents of the city seem to regret the departure of Spanish sovereignty, but are reconciled by American supplies of food.

The volunteers are to be supplied with cartridges containing smokeless powder. Smokeless powder is also being supplied to the navy. Several cruisers and numerous gunboats now have magazines filled with it. The success of the smokeless powder used by the Spaniards has demonstrated the necessity for its use.

There is a difference of opinion as to how the Porto Rican expedition should be made up. Gen. Miles wants to take many of the regiments now before Santiago. Gen. Brooke wants to take as many regiments as possible from his corps at Chickamauga. The surgeons disapprove the plan of using the troops now at Santiago.

Capt. Gen. Blanco at Havana will be deprived of all means of communication with his government at Madrid except through a strict censorship when the American army formally takes possession of Santiago. There can be no doubt on this question as Gen. Shafter will direct immediately on taking charge of the city that American operators be placed in the telegraph office there.

Rico is on in earnest. Maj. Gen. Miles has sailed from Santiago with four batteries of light artillery, and 6,300 men have sailed from Tampa. Other troops are embarking at Charleston and two divisions will move from Chickamauga. The troops which sailed will land at once and await the arrival of the remainder of the army. The landing place, it is said, will be within thirty miles of San Juan.

Sunday the flag of the American republic was hung to the breeze from the house of the Civil Government in Santiago. Three hours earlier Gen. Toral had met Gen. Shafter between the lines of the opposing armies and handed him his sword in token of the final surrender according to the terms agreed upon. Gen. Shafter returned the weapon to the Spanish commander.

Immediately afterward the Spanish troops began depositing their arms. Maj. Gen. Shafter reports that 7,000 rifles and 600,000 cartridges were surrendered. The raising of the American flag over Santiago was an impressive scene. The conquering army was represented, besides its general officers, by only a regiment of infantry and a squadron of cavalry, as the American army will not enter the city until the Spaniards have embarked. As the flag went up every American uncovered, and as the wind shook out its folds the bands burst out with the strains of "The Star-Spangled Banner," while Capron's battery, from its position outside the city, boomed a salute. Thousands of people witnessed the scene.

The Ninth and Thirtieth infantry detailed to remain in the city to preserve order. The Spanish prisoners are to camp outside the American lines until transports are ready for them. As early as 4 a. m. the refugees began returning to Santiago. They presented a pitiable sight and found no relief there. The stores had been robbed and nothing to eat could be had anywhere in the city. Many of the miserable refugees had fallen by the wayside.

The dissatisfaction of the Cubans because Santiago was not turned over to them is very pronounced. So much friction has developed that the War Department thinks it will be prudent to keep a larger part of Gen. Shafter's army at Santiago than was at first contemplated, both as a precaution against Spanish attack and to hold the Cubans in check.

MARKSBURY.

A number of young people were royally entertained by Miss Kate Moore and brother last Thursday evening. Every one present says that they never spent a more enjoyable evening.

George Durham cut down a large black walnut tree near his residence, a few days ago which quite a history. It was owned by Wm. Parks in 1871. He died in 1873 of cholera, and his son then came in possession, he took great interest in its development. Some of the branches measured from 40 to 50 feet from the body, and when cut down it measured 4 feet 3 inches across the stump. Mr. Durham sold it to parties who will ship it to England.

Misses Susie Sutton and Katie West are visiting friends and relatives near Bettis. Miss Minnie Johnson, of Marcellus, is the pleasant guest of Miss Sadie Aldridge. Mr. Ed Perkins has accepted a position in the Blue Grass Grocery at Lancaster. Miss Miriam Herring, of Louisville, after several weeks visit to her cousin, Miss Sarah Herring returned home Monday. Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Bogie spent Sunday in Danville, were accompanied home by little Miss Mattie Lee Hughes. Mrs. W. M. Kuykendall and daughters, have returned from a two weeks' visit to Mt. Washington. Mr. and Mrs. John Woods, accompanied by their little son and daughter, of Danville, spent last week with Mrs. Woods' sister, Mrs. Charles Burdett.

"During the hot weather summer I had a severe attack of cholera morbus, necessitating my leaving my business," says Mr. C. A. Hare, of Hare Bros., Cincinnati, Ohio. "After taking two or three doses of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy I was completely relieved and in a few hours was able to resume my work in the store. I sincerely recommend it to any one afflicted with stomach or bowel trouble." For sale by R. E. McRoberts. 1m

MCCREARY.

Born to the wife of Jno. A. Saunders a boy.

J. B. Warner and Alex. Walker who were on the sick list last week are reported better.

The sad death of Jim Johnston who died at Chickamauga and was buried in Lancaster Saturday was a surprise to his many friends at this place. All who knew Jim liked him for he was a good boy and made a host of friends wherever he went.

Died, last Friday, Georgie, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Nave and was buried in Lancaster Saturday. The little rose-bud has been gathered to a brighter world, by the one who said "suffer little children to come unto me. The family has the sympathy of the entire community.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis Sutton visited relatives in Kirksville the latter part of last week. Mrs. Tom Johnston of Lexington visited Mrs. W. T. Pherrigo last Tuesday. Misses Marie Burnside, of Lancaster and Bettie Broadus, of Madison were the guests of Miss Jennie Hardin last week. Miss Jennie Guiley is visiting friends in your city this week. Mrs. Thos. Kelley, of Walnut Flat is visiting her mother Mrs. Mary Yator. Mr. Sam Long of Madison spent last week with his son Mr. John Long.

AMONG THE CHURCHES.

Gladstone's grand-daughter has become a Gospel Missionary.

The recent Italian census shows 62,600 Protestants in a population of 31,030,000.

Rev. Henry Faulconer has reorganized his Bible class in the Presbyterian Sunday School. It is composed of young men.

The Lancaster Baptists are making up money to have the windows in the building cut down and fitted out in modern style. The contest spoken of elsewhere in THE RECORD, is for this purpose and the people should patronize it.

Nothing is more soul-stirring than to hear an entire congregation join in on a familiar hymn. And nothing grates on the nerves like having to sit and listen to two or three persons "chaw" on a song which no one ever heard before and even those trying to sing it don't know. For pity's sake do your practicing at home "brethren and sisters."

A Baptist paper says Heroic Hobson showed his Baptist blood in the letter written to his sister before he started on his war journey, as follows: "Feeling that there has been earnestness of effort in my life, ready to accept any consequences, I hope to put aside every thought and bend entirely to the work in hand, to go in for action without any preoccupation or diverting thought leaving all issues to the God that rules over all, to whom we must refer the mystery of life and the mystery of death."

Says the Forest Review, of July 14: "The following is taken from the Albany (Indiana) Journal, concerning the Rev. David Dempster, of the Danville Theological Seminary, who is now the guest of his brother, the pastor of the Presbyterian church of North Baltimore: 'Rev. David Dempster returned to his home at North Baltimore, Ohio, Thursday. Mr. Dempster occupied the pulpit of the Presbyterian church, morning and evening. He is a very eloquent and able preacher, and by his genial manner made many friends in Albany during his brief stay.'

Our baby has been continually troubled with colic and cholera infantum since his birth, and all that we could do for him did not seem to give more than temporary relief, until we tried Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. Since giving that remedy he has not been troubled. We want to give you this testimonial as an evidence of our gratitude, not that you need it to advertise your meritorious remedy.—J. M. Law, Keokuk, Iowa. For sale by R. E. McRoberts. 1m

PREACHERSVILLE.

Fine rains continue to fall. J. L. Hutchins bought 6 shoats from Rev. F. B. Jones for \$13.50.

G. A. Siler has gone to the mountains after a load of sheep.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cress have gone to Rockcastle county on a visit.

J. C. Siler received of Davis Anderson 23 odd hogs at \$3.50 per hundred.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Kennedy is very sick at this time.

Rev. M. C. Reed, of West Virginia, preached at the Methodist church here Saturday and Sunday night.

The darkey, George Stephenson, who is to be hung at Stanford, was raised and lived in sight of this place.

Miss Waidie Thompson, who has been very sick for some time, is able to be out again. Owen Anderson, who has typhoid fever is doing very well.

Persons troubled with diarrhoea will be interested in the experience of Mr. W. M. Bush, clerk of Hotel Dorance Providence, R. I. He says: "For several years I have been almost a constant sufferer from diarrhoea, the frequent attacks completely prostrating me and rendering me unfit for my duties at this hotel. About two years ago a traveling salesman kindly gave me a small bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. Much to my surprise and delight its effects were immediate. Whenever I felt symptoms of the disease I would fortify myself against the attack with a few doses of this valuable remedy. The result has been very satisfactory and almost complete relief from the affliction." For sale by R. E. McRoberts. 1m

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BUCKEYE.

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Harden Price had a hemorrhage of the lungs last week.

Joseph Simpson sold to Mr. Burdine, of Jessamine, one yoke oxen at \$93.

W. B. Burton sold to Pony Beazley, 9 cattle at \$14.40 for October delivery.

A heavy rain fell here Sunday and Monday, and the high water of Paint Lick carried off hogs, chickens, geese, trees, boxes and barrels, etc.

Clayton Wearen, who has a position in the Lakeland Asylum, and Miss Mota Nave, of Danville, were guests of Mrs. Thornton Anderson one evening last week. A young lady of this place seemed to be the drawing card. Miss Nell Ray left Sunday to visit her aunt, Mrs. Ben Hughes, of Mercer. J. E. Dickerson spent Sunday in Crab Orchard. Miss Hattie Jones is with friends in Nicholasville. W. T. Noel and family, and Miss Nora Ray, visited in Kirksville Saturday and Sunday. W. H. Ray has returned home from a visit to sick relatives in Mercer. C. W. Brown and wife, spent Sunday and Monday with Mr. B's parents near Buena Vista.

The editor of the Evans City, Pa. Globe, writes: "One Minute Cough Cure is rightly named. It cured my children after all other remedies failed." It cures coughs, colds and all throat and lung troubles. Storms Drug Store. 1m

BRYANTSVILLE.

Rev. Clark filled his regular appointment here Sunday.

Miss Mittie Dunn began her school at Herring's school house, Monday the 18th.

Mrs. A. S. Haselden purchased of Dr. Mack Elliott, his house and lot at this place, for \$900.

Marshall Hughes has bought a lot in Danville, and will erect a dwelling in the near future.

Mrs. J. H. Burke is on the sick list this week. Little Edna Berkele, who has been quite sick, is improving.

Miss Kathie Jennings, of Lower Garard, and Miss Bessie Ballard, of Paint Lick, are the guests of Mrs. R. S. Haselden, this week. Miss Bettie Browning, of Lexington, is the pleasant guest of Mrs. T. C. Armstrong. Mrs. G. T. Ballard and little daughter Annie Belle, of Paint Lick, are visiting friends and relatives here. Miss Lula Burke has returned from a visit to Perryville. Miss Maggie Jennings has returned to her home in Danville, after a pleasant visit to her grandmother. Master Julius Elliott is spending the week with his brother, Dr. Mack Elliott. Little Miss Marguerite Jones, is visiting Mrs. Jeff Dunn. Mr. Jeff Cheatham has returned to Chickamauga, after a brief visit to his parents.

"I think DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is the finest preparation on the market for piles." So writes John C. Dunn, of Wheeling, W. Va. Try it and you will think the same. It also cures eczema and all skin diseases. Storms Drug Store. 1m

CARTERSVILLE.

F. A. Koehler is improving slowly.

Wm. Smith opened school at Woodview last Monday.

Mr. Caldwell has opened school with a good attendance.

Huckleberry picking is in full blast. There is a large crop.

Ed Koehler's baby has the whooping cough, and is very low.

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